

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

October 30, 2015



This day in California History (2009): The Tanker Vessel Dubai Star released over 400 gallons of Intermediate Fuel Oil into the San Francisco Bay. The spill, caused by a fuel tank overflow, resulted in shoreline oiling, bird mortalities, as well as beach and fisheries closures in the vicinity of Alameda Island.

Photo Credit: The Press Democrat



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National Terrorism Advisory System Current Alerts



Note: [Report updates are in blue](#)

SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Level 1	Level 1	Level 1	Level 1

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

Weather of Concern

- A Red Flag Warning is in effect is until 1800 hours this evening for areas in Los Angeles and Ventura counties
- A High Wind Warning is in effect until 1200 hours today for areas in Los Angeles County

Santa Ana Winds

- Strong Santa Ana winds will blow across areas of Southern California today. The strongest winds will be felt along a corridor from Cajon Summit through Orange County. Winds will gradually weaken this afternoon. The dry and windy conditions will create a brief period of critical fire weather late this morning into the afternoon.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php

Santa Ana Winds Today

WIND ADVISORY for the San Bernardino Mountains, Santa Ana Mountains, Inland Empire, Orange County, and northern Coachella Valley.

Wind speeds:

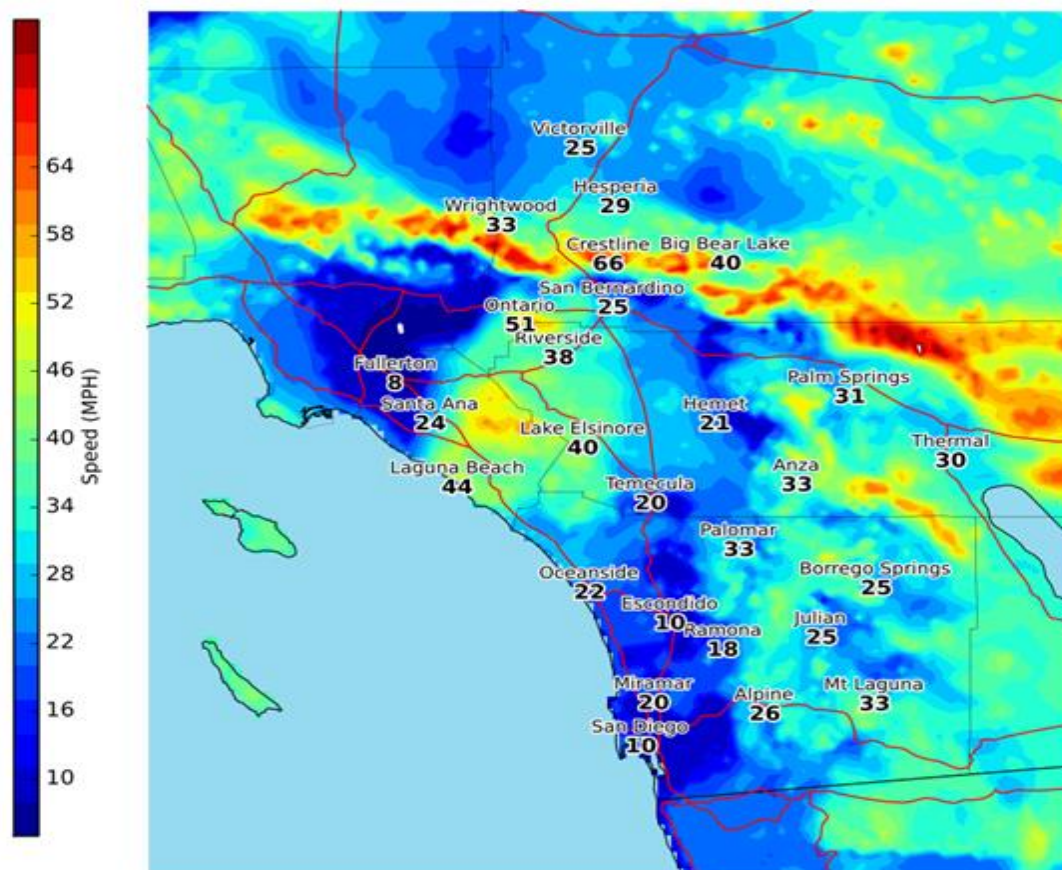
- **Foothills:** 25-40 mph
Gusts 45-55
Isolated 65+
- **IE/OC Plain:** 15-25 mph
Gusts 35-45 mph
Isolated 50+ mph

HAZARDS

- ⚠️ Travel difficult for high profile vehicles
- ⚠️ Minor damage to trees and unsecured outdoor objects
- ⚠️ Elevated fire potential

Wind Gusts

Valid: 10/29/2015 05:00 PM - 10/30/2015 06:00 PM PDT



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San Diego, California
10/30/2015 03:14 AM PDT

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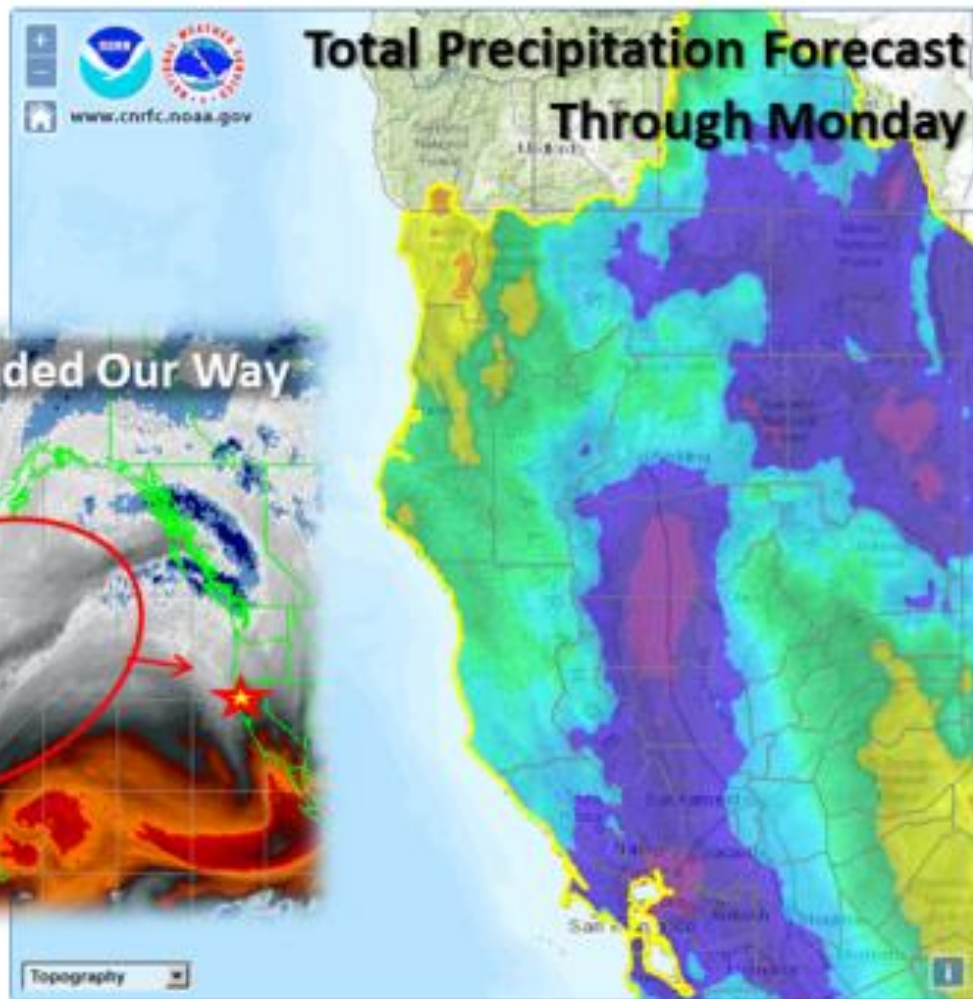
Arrives this weekend

Created: October 29th, 2015

A rain band will move through Northwest California with a cold front starting Saturday in Del Norte County, spreading south overnight into Sunday.

Rain will transition to showers on Sunday. Chances for showers across all of Northwest California will likely persist through Monday.

Snow levels will also drop behind the front, potentially to near 4000 feet Sunday night into Monday.



Precipitation (inches)

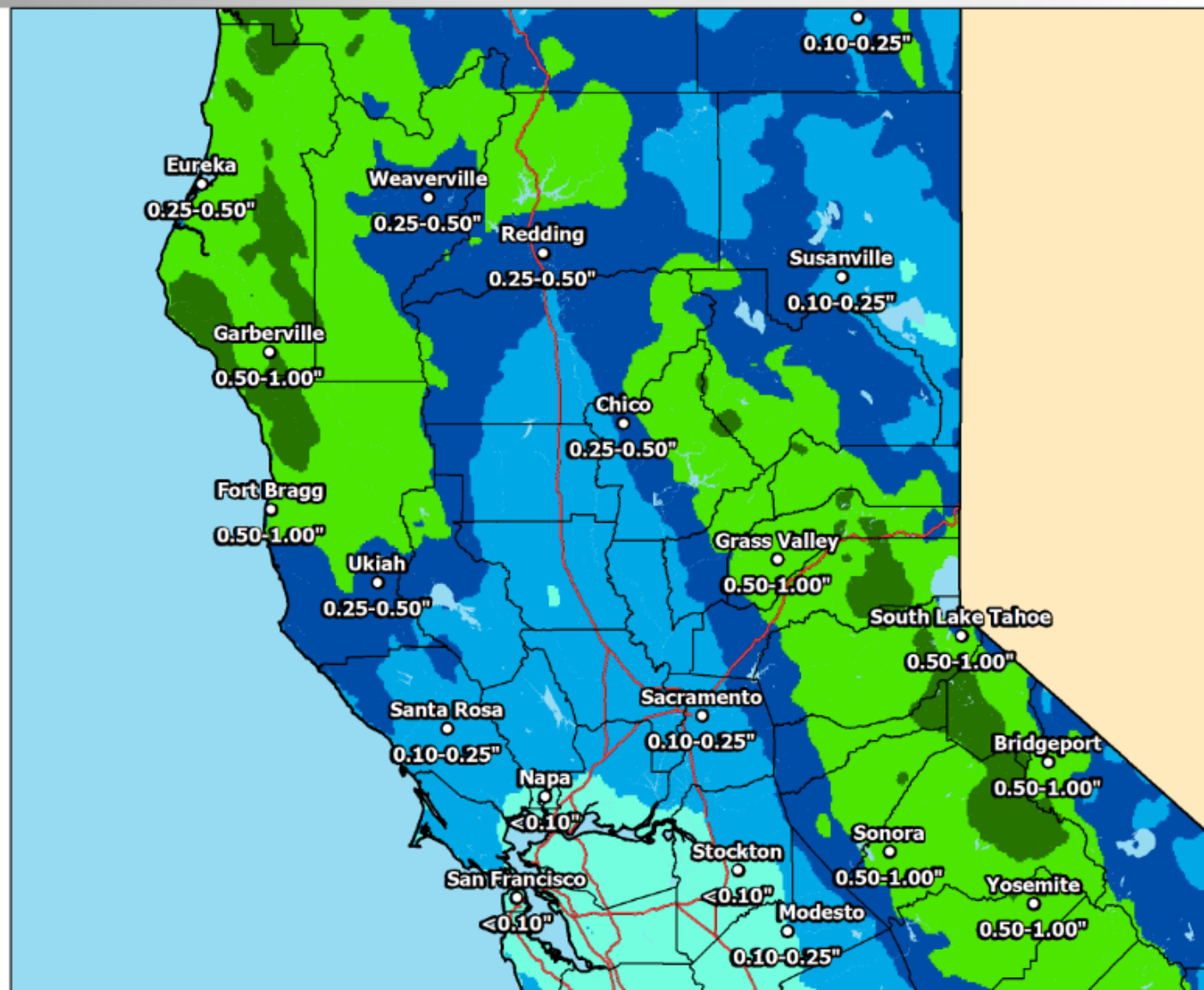
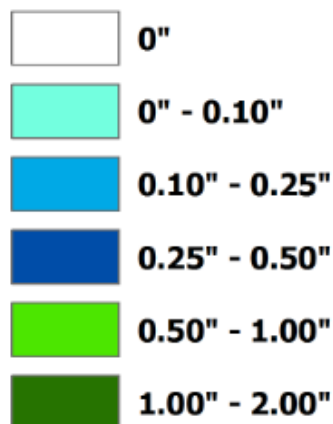




Precipitation Forecast

Sunday - Tuesday

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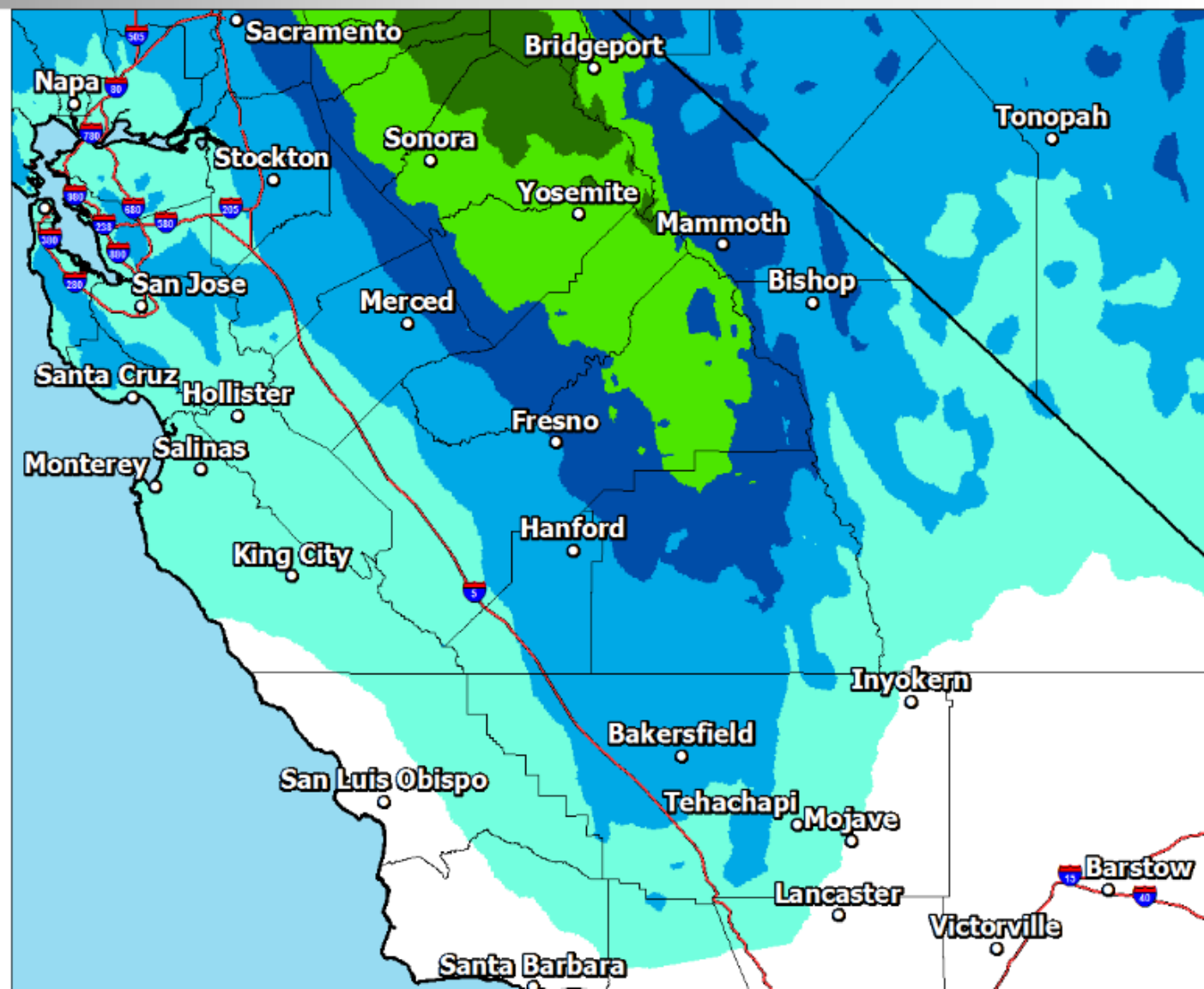
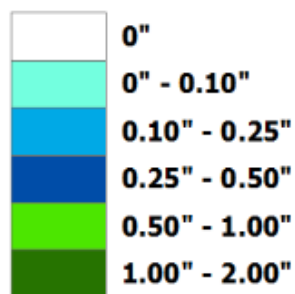
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Precipitation Forecast

Through 4AM 11/05/2015

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Data Source:
Weather Prediction Center

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WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA AND CENTRAL COASTAL AREAS:

Eureka Weather:

High pressure will maintain dry weather for NW California today. An approaching cold front will spread rain across portions of the region as early as Saturday morning. Periods of heavy rain will precede the front Saturday night into Sunday. Cold air will filter into the region Sunday into Monday.

Medford Weather:

The first strong moisture-laden system of the season is expected to arrive Saturday evening and remain in the area through Sunday. The system will bring significant rains and gusty winds, as well as mountain snows Sunday night. There remains some uncertainty in the details, but confidence is high that adverse weather will impact the area this weekend.

Reno Weather:

Dry and mild conditions will remain through today. A winter storm is forecast to impact the Sierra and western Nevada Sunday and Monday with the potential for strong winds, rain and snow. Much Colder temperatures with a few snow showers are expected into the middle of the week behind the storm.

San Francisco Weather:

Warm and dry weather conditions will persist through Halloween as high pressure remains over the region. A cold weather system will bring a chance of precipitation to much of the region late Sunday into Monday as a cold front sweeps through. In wake of the frontal passage, much cooler temperatures are expected early into early week.

WEATHER

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION:

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA AND SOUTHERN SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY:

Sacramento Weather:

Breezy north winds will continue through today with dry and mild weather through Halloween. A storm system will bring cooler and wetter weather for the beginning of next week.

Hanford Weather:

High pressure will provide for dry and warm conditions through the weekend. A low pressure system is expected to push into the area by Monday morning and bring precipitation along with cooler temperatures. Unsettled conditions are expected for the middle portion of next week with cooler than normal temperatures and mountain showers.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA:

Los Angeles Weather:

Warm and dry conditions will continue through the weekend as gusty offshore flow develops beneath building high pressure aloft. A cold low pressure system will arrive Monday with a cool and unsettled weather pattern lingering into late next week.

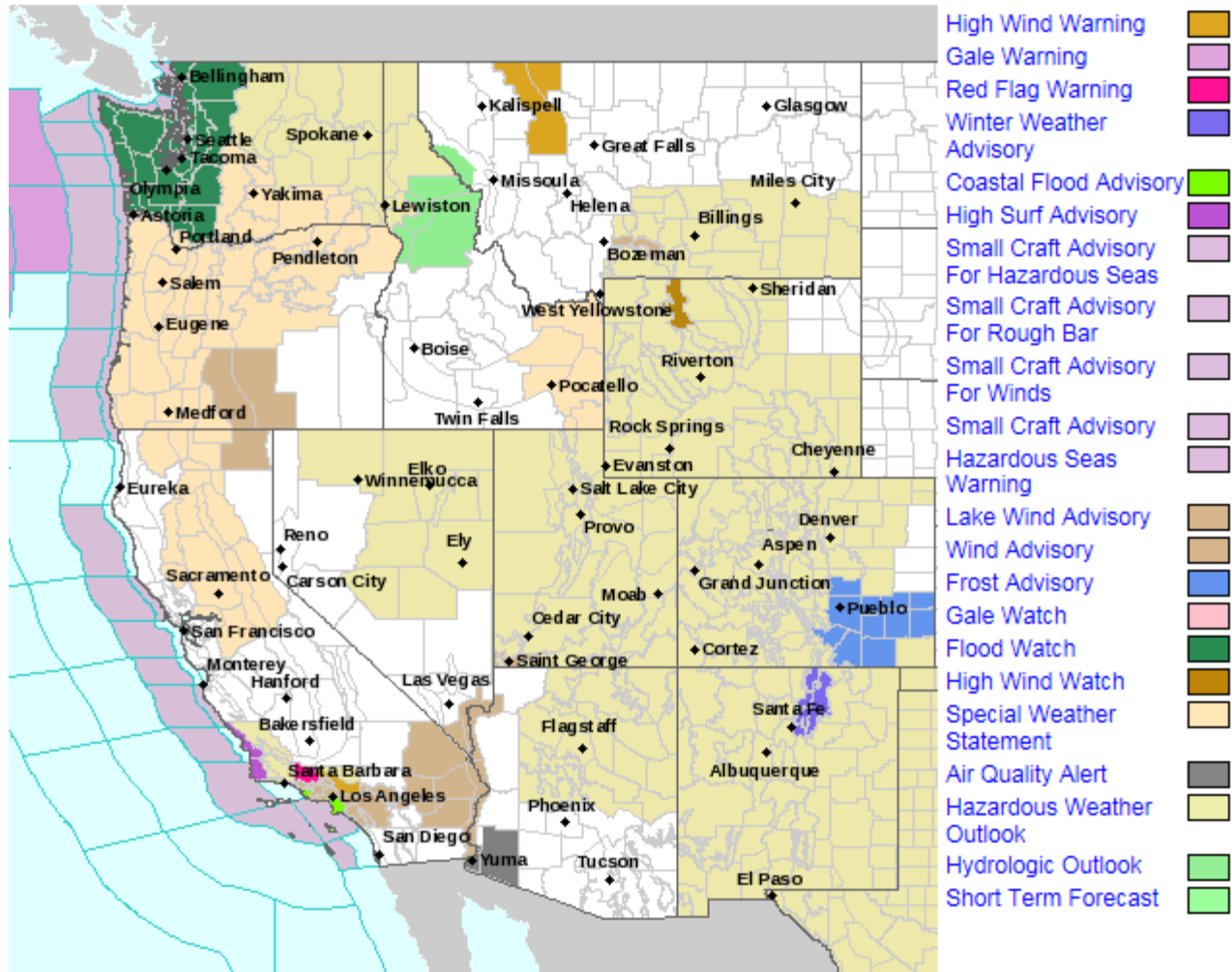
Extreme Southwestern California including Orange, San Diego, Western Riverside and Southwestern San Bernardino Counties:

North flow aloft and high pressure building over the great basin will bring areas of gusty north to northeast winds along the coastal foothills and inland valleys through this afternoon. Will be warmer with lighter winds this weekend. A large trough developing over the west will bring cooler weather, gusty onshore winds, and periods of showers Monday through Thursday, with highest precipitation chances Monday night and Wednesday.

Southeast California Weather:

A low pressure system will affect eastern portions of Arizona today before shifting eastward tonight and getting replaced by high Pressure from the west. There will be a continued chance of showers through this evening from phoenix eastward. Windy conditions will be problematic for locations of southeast California and the Colorado River valley today. Skies will clear from west to east later today and tonight with a return to near normal temperatures Sunday and Monday. Another weather system will affect the region for the middle of next week bringing renewed chances for rain and much cooler temperatures.

STATE WEATHER MAP



Last map update: Oct, 30th 2015 at 10:49:05 am MDT



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FIRE ACTIVITY

FIRE, SOUTHERN OPERATIONS AREA

Gibraltar, CA-LPF-003471, Vegetation Fire, Santa Barbara County

Location: North of Montecito in Los Padres National Forest

Jurisdiction: FRA

Start Time: 10/29/2015 at 0515

Per Cal OES, CAL FIRE, as of 10/30/2015 at 0836 hours:

- 40 acres, brush, 50% contained, Reduction in acreage due to more accurate mapping
- Forward Progress stopped
- 12 Tankers assigned including VLAT
- Structures Threatened: 1,883 single residences
- A dozer and hose line all the around the fire.
- Line is expected to hold even with wind advisory in effect.
- 2 Local Government Type III Strike Teams assigned
- A Cal OES Fire Branch Assistant Chief (AC) has been assigned to this incident
- Local Government and Cal OES AC will be demobed today
- No Law Enforcement or Mutual Aid requests at this time

Critical Infrastructure including Hospital and Medical Facilities:

- Per CUEA no impacts to utilities

Activations:

- Santa Barbara County is operating a remote Joint Information Center (JIC)

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Access and Functional Needs:

- There are no known unmet access and functional needs at this time.

Shelters/Evacuation Center:

- Humane Society is accepting animals for boarding at this time. Facility located at 5399 Overpass Rd., Goleta, CA 93111.

Road Closures:

- East Camino Cielo at Painted Cave Road to Gibraltar Road
- W. Mountain Drive at Gibraltar Road

Schools Closures:

- All schools expect to be back open this morning.

Air Quality:

- Santa Barbara County Air Pollution Control District issued an Air Quality Watch for the Montecito Area of Santa Barbara County to be in effect as long as conditions warrant.

FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

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California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC every other Monday at 1100 hours.

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Local Emergency Proclamations:

A total of 62 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:

- 28 Counties: Butte, Colusa, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 13 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), City of Willits (Mendocino County), and City of Fort Bragg (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.